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REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL	
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<i>Application Number</i>	09/239,907
<i>Filing Date</i>	January 29, 1999
<i>First Named Inventor</i>	Andrew MacCormack
<i>Group Art Unit</i>	2614
<i>Examiner Name</i>	Scott E. Beliveau
<i>Attorney Docket Number</i>	858063.435

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application.

NOTE: 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 is effective on May 29, 2000. If the above-identified application was filed prior to May 29, 2000, applicant may wish to consider filing a continued prosecution application (CPA) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53 (d) (PTO/SB/29) instead of a RCE to be eligible for the patent term adjustment provisions of the AIPA. See Changes to Application Examination and Provisional Application Practice, Final Rule, 65 Fed. Reg. 50092 (Aug. 16, 2000); Interim Rule, 65 Fed. Reg. 14865 (Mar. 20, 2000), 1233 Off. Gaz. Pat. Office 47 (Apr. 11, 2000), which established RCE practice.

1. **Submission required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114**

a. Previously submitted

i. Consider the amendment(s)/reply under
(Any unentered amendment(s) referred to as _____)

ii. Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief

iii. Other _____

b. Enclosed

i. Amendment/Reply

ii. Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)

iii. Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)

iv. Other _____

2. **Miscellaneous**

a. Suspension of action on the above-identified
a period of _____ months. (Period of suspension _____)

b. Other _____

3. **Fees** The RCE fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e) is requested.

a. The Director is hereby authorized to charge
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i. RCE fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e)

ii. Extension of time fee (37 C.F.R. §§ 1.136)

iii. Other _____

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Signature		Date	September 16, 2003

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Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.

TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT (\$)
1,374

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FEE CALCULATION

1. BASIC FILING FEE

Large Entity	Small Entity	Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
1001	750	2001	375			Utility filing fee	
1002	330	2002	165			Design filing fee	
1003	520	2003	260			Plant filing fee	
1004	750	2004	375			Reissue filing fee	
1005	160	2005	80			Provisional filing fee	
SUBTOTAL (1)							(\$ 0)

2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE

		Extra Claims	Fee from below	Fee Paid
Total Claims	36	$-20^{**} =$	16	$* 18 =$
Independent Claims	8	$-4^{**} =$	4	$* 84 =$
Multiple Dependent				

Large Entity	Small Entity	Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Description
1202	18	2202	9			Claims in excess of 20
1201	84	2201	42			Independent claims in excess of 3
1203	280	2203	140			Multiple dependent claim, if not paid
1204	84	2204	42			** Reissue independent claims over original patent
1205	18	2205	9			** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent
SUBTOTAL (2)						(\$ 624)

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FEE CALCULATION (continued)				
3. ADDITIONAL FEES				
Large Entity	Small			
Fee Code	Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
1051	130	2051	65 Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	
1052	50	2052	25 Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	
1053	130	1053	130 Non-English specification	
1812	2520	1812	2520 For filing a request for ex parte reexamination	
1804	920*	1804	920* Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
1805	1840*	1805	1840* Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
1251	110	2251	55 Extension for reply within first month	
1252	410	2252	205 Extension for reply within second month	
1253	930	2253	465 Extension for reply within third month	
1254	1450	2254	725 Extension for reply within fourth month	
1255	1970	2255	985 Extension for reply within fifth month	
1401	320	2401	160 Notice of Appeal	
1402	320	2402	160 Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
1403	280	2403	140 Request for oral hearing	
1451	1510	1451	1510 Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
1452	110	2452	55 Petition to revive – unavoidable	
1453	1300	2453	650 Petition to revive – unintentional	
1501	1300	2501	650 Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
1502	470	2502	235 Design issue fee	
1503	630	2503	315 Plant issue fee	
1460	130	1460	130 Petitions to the Commissioner	
1807	50	1807	50 Processing fee for provisional applications	
1806	180	1806	180 Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt	
8021	40	8021	40 Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	
1809	750	2809	375 Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a))	
1810	750	2810	375 For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))	
1801	750	2801	375 Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	750
1802	900	1802	900 Request for expedited examination of a design application	
Other fee (specify) _____				
*Reduced by Basic Filing Fee Paid.				
SUBTOTAL (3) (\$ 750)				

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